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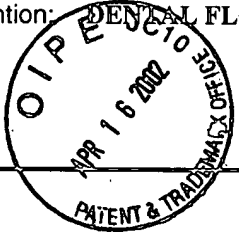
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
BRA1633.45A

In Re Application Of: STEVEN J. BRATTESANI; DEAN SWIFT; PETER WOLLWAGE

Serial No. 10/033,734	Filing Date DECEMBER 28, 2001	Examiner	Group Art Unit 3732
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Invention: DENTAL FLOSS WITH USAGE IDENTIFICATION CAPABILITY



TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 29, 2002 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month
 ☐ Two months
 ☐ Three months
 ☐ Four months
 ☐ Five months

from: March 29, 2002 until: April 29, 2002
 Date Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$55 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. _____
 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1137 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: April 16, 2002


 Signature

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.
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